

STATE TRAFFIC COMMISSION
AGENDA FOR THE MEETING OF

JANUARY 17, 2006

The meeting of the State Traffic Commission will be held on Tuesday, January 17, 2006, at 10:00 a.m. in Conference Room A of the Department of Transportation, 2800 Berlin Turnpike, Newington, for the following purposes:

1. To adopt the minutes of the following meetings:

November 15, 2005

December 15, 2005

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2. To approve the following items:

Brookfield - STC# 018-0511-01

Approve a change in the speed limit from 40 mph to 35 mph for both directions on Route 202 (Federal Rd.) from a point 0.23 miles south of Old Milford Rd. (s. jct.) (mile 10.00) northerly to Rt. 133 (Junction Rd.) (mile 10.66), a distance of 0.66 miles.

Farmington - STC# 051-0512-01

1. Rescind Traffic Investigation Report No. 051-8506-02 which approved lane-use control at the intersection of Rt. 4 (Farmington Ave.) at Rt. 10 (Main St. and Waterville Rd.).
2. Approve the following lane-use control at the intersection of Rt. 4 (Farmington Ave.) at Rt. 10 (Main St. and Waterville Rd.):

Rt. 4 EB: A right-turn lane
 Two through lanes
 A left-turn lane

Rt. 4 WB: A combination right-turn/through lane
 A combination left-turn/through lane

Rt. 10 NB: A right-turn lane
 A combination left-turn/through lane

Rt. 10 SB: A combination right-turn/left-turn/through lane

Groton - STC# 058-0601-01

Grant the Town of Groton permission to revise the existing traffic control signal on Poquonnock Rd. at Benham Rd., Mitchell St. and Chicago Ave. to be semi-actuated with an exclusive walk phase emergency vehicle pre-emption, and exclusive phasing for the Benham Rd., Mitchell St. and Chicago Ave. approaches.

Groton - STC# 058-0601-02

Grant the Town of Groton permission to revise the existing traffic control signal on Thames St. at Poquonnock Rd., Eastern Point Rd. and Smith St. to be semi-actuated with emergency vehicle preemption, exclusive phasing for the Poquonnock Rd. approach and a right-turn overlap for the Thames St. approach.

Manchester - STC# 076-0512-01

Grant the Town of Manchester permission to install, operate and maintain a semi-actuated traffic control signal with emergency vehicle preemption on Parker St. at its intersection with Colonial Rd. and Sheldon Rd.

Mansfield - STC# 077-0512-01

That a crosswalk not be installed on Rt. 195 at the intersection of Timber Dr.

Middlebury - STC# 080-0510-01

1. That no change be made to the 45 mph speed limit for both directions of travel on Rt. 63 (Bradleyville Rd.) from Whitemore Rd. northerly to Country Club Rd. East, a distance of 0.50 miles.
2. That no change be made to the 40 mph speed limit for both directions of travel on Rt. 63 (Bradleyville Rd.) from Country Club Rd. East northerly to Rt. 64, a distance of 0.81 miles.

Middletown - STC# 082-0508-01

That a traffic control signal not be installed at the intersection of Rt. 155 (Randolph Rd.) at Farm Hill Rd.

Milford - STC# 083-0402-01

1. Approve the installation of a traffic control signal with emergency preemption at the intersection of Rt. 162, Mary Ellen Dr. and Settler's Ridge Rd.
2. Approve the installation of "No Turn On Red" signs for the Mary Ellen Drive and Settler's Ridge Rd. approaches to Rt. 162.

Orange - STC# 106-0510-01

Grant permission to the Town of Orange to establish a 25 mph speed limit for both directions on Porter La. from Rt. 152 (Orange Center Rd.) easterly to Lambert Rd., a distance of 0.38 miles.

Orange - STC# 106-0511-01

That a traffic signal not be installed at the intersection of U.S. Rt. 1 (Boston Post Rd.) at Silverbrook Rd.

Rocky Hill - STC# 118-0511-01

Approve a revision to the existing traffic control signal at the intersection of Rt. 3 and Inwood Road to include an actuated pedestrian phase.

Salisbury - STC# 121-0510-01

1. That no change be made to the 30 mph speed limit for both directions of travel on Rt. 44 from a point 0.11 miles west of Holley St. easterly to a point 0.26 miles east of Meadow St., a distance of 1.05 miles.
2. That no change be made to the 35 mph speed limit for both directions of travel on Rt. 44 from a point 0.26 miles east of Meadow St. easterly to Salmon Kill Rd., a distance of 0.41 miles.
3. That no change be made to the 30 mph speed limit for both directions of travel on Rt. 44 from Salmon Kill Rd. easterly to Cobble Rd., a distance of 0.84 miles.

Southbury - STC# 130-0509-02

Approve the request to prohibit thru truck traffic in both directions on Hollow Swamp Rd. from Rt. 172 (South Britain Rd.) southerly to Main St., a distance of 0.51 miles.

Stratford - STC# 138-0601-01

Approve a revision to the existing traffic control signal at the intersection of Rt. 110 (E. Main St.) at the drives for Dock Shopping Center and Stratford Retailers Condominium to include an exclusive pedestrian phase.

Thompson - STC# 141-0510-01

That no change be made to the SB passing zone on Rt. 193 in the vicinity of Gawron Rd.

Wilton - STC# 161-0507-05

That no change be made to the approved 30 mph speed limit for both directions on town-maintained Cheese Spring Rd. from the New Canaan Town Line easterly to Drum Hill Rd., a distance of 1.31 miles.

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3. NEW BUSINESS:

New Milford - STC# 095-0510-01

1. That a "No Left Turn" sign on Rt. 67 (Prospect Hill Rd.) WB at Grove St. not be installed at this time.
2. That a "No Left Turn" sign on Rt. 67 (Prospect Hill Rd.) WB at Old Grove St. not be installed at this time.

New Milford - STC# 095-0510-01 - Contd.

Ms. Ramona Tito, the Legal Traffic Authority's representative, concurred with the recommendations.

State Representative Clark J. Chapin, on behalf of a concerned citizen, requested the installation of the signs, and has been invited to attend the meeting.

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4. MAJOR TRAFFIC GENERATORS

a. Danbury/Bethel/Brookfield - STC# 174-0511-01

Mr. Joseph P. Ouellette will present the staff report on the request to revise the conditions of, and reinstate, Certificate Nos. 1089 and 1089-A issued for Berkshire Corporate Park.

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b. Rocky Hill - 118-0512-01

Mrs. Jennifer G. Babowicz will present the staff report on the Application for Certificate filed for the expansion of Corporate Ridge Office Park.

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c. Stamford - STC# 135-0510-01

Mr. Edwin L. Brown will present the staff report on the Application for Certificate filed for the expansion of West Hill High School.

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d. Wallingford - STC# 148-0510-02

Mr. David M. Fabry will present the staff report on the request to reinstate/revise the conditions of Certificate No. 1450 issued for Home Depot Plaza.

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e. West Hartford - STC# 155-0510-01

Mr. Frederick L. Kulakowski will present the staff report on the Application for Certificate filed for The Hartford Golf Club.

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4. MAJOR TRAFFIC GENERATORS - Contd.

f. Colchester - STC# 028-0508-02

Mr. Thomas N. Lamb will present the staff report on the Application for Certificate filed for the expansion of Pierpont Plaza (Keystone Shoppes).

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g. East Hampton - STC# 041-0506-01

Mr. Thomas N. Lamb will present the staff report on the Application for Certificate filed for the expansion of East Hampton Mall (Shaw's Supermarket).

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h. Hartford/West Hartford/Bloomfield - STC# 171-0510-01

Mr. Patrick I. Onwuazor will present the staff report on the Application for Certificate filed for the expansion of the University of Hartford (University Magnet High School and Engineering Facility).

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i. South Windsor - STC# 132-0511-01

Mr. Patrick Onwuazor will present the staff report on the Application for Certificate filed for the expansion of DST Output, Inc.

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j. New Haven - STC# 092-0311-05

Mr. Sunny D. Ezete will present the staff report on the Application for Certificate filed for New Haven Business Park.

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k. Wallingford - STC# 148-0511-02

Mr. Sunny D. Ezete will present the staff report on the Application for Certificate filed for the expansion of Lowe's Home Improvement Center (formerly Wal*Mart).

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l. Danbury - STC# 034-0512-02

Mrs. Gina M. Greenalch will present the staff report on the request to partially open The Reserve/Union Carbide without full compliance with the Conditions of Certificate No. 263-A.

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4. MAJOR TRAFFIC GENERATORS - Contd.

m. Danbury - STC# 034-0512-03

Mrs. Gina M. Greenalch will present the staff report on the Application for Certificate filed for the expansion and land use change for The Reserve/Union Carbide (Site 17).

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n. Danbury - STC# 034-0601-01

Mrs. Gina M. Greenalch will present the staff report on the request to partially open The Reserve/Union Carbide without full compliance with the conditions of Traffic Investigation Report No. 034-0512-03.

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o. Shelton - STC# 126-0510-01

Mrs. Gina M. Greenalch will present the staff report on the Application for Certificate filed for the expansion of Shelton High School/Intermediate School.

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p. Waterbury - STC# 151-0408-01

Mrs. Gina M. Greenalch will present the staff report on the Application for Certificate filed for Bernie's Plaza.

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5. MAJOR TRAFFIC GENERATORS - EXTENSIONS

a. That the following be extended for one year:

Certificate No. 1006-A issued for
The Orchards at East Lyme in East Lyme

b. That the following approval for the issuance of a certificate be extended for one year, effective upon the posting of a bond:

Traffic Investigation Report No. 132-0311-01 approved on
December 16, 2003 for Terry Office Park in South Windsor.

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6. ADDENDUM

To consider and act upon other business as may properly come before this meeting.

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Robbin L. Cabelus